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Course: *IS-0421 Overview of the Emergency Food and Shelter National Board Program (EFSP)*

Date: Course is now available online.

Course Length:

The overall time to complete the course will vary for each individual. IS-0421 takes approximately 60 minutes.

Course Description:

Since 1983, the EFSP has helped people facing economic crisis. The program is a unique public-private partnership that brings the voluntary sector and the government together to address critical human needs in the areas of hunger and homelessness. This course gives a brief overview of the EFSP.

Course Goal:

Upon completing this course, the participant will be able to:

1. Identify the responsibilities and requirements of the National Board, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), and the State Set-Aside (SSA) Committees.
2. Identify the responsibilities and requirements of the Local Boards to award EFSP funds properly and effectively at the local level.
3. Identify basic responsibilities and requirements of all EFSP-funded Local Recipient Organizations (LROs) regarding program compliance.

Prerequisite:

None

Continuing Education Units (CEUs):

Emergency Management Institute (EMI) awards 0.1 CEUs for completion of this course.

Target Audience:

Members of the EFSP National Board, Local Boards, and Local Recipient Organizations.

To Apply:

FEMA Employees with access to the FEMA Network can access the course via the FEMA Employee Knowledge Center (FEKC) on the FEMA Intranet at <http://kc.fema.net/>.

For further enrollment information, FEKC users may contact the FEKC System Administrator via email at FEKC@fema.dhs.gov or call (301) 447-1512, or toll free at: 1-800-238-3358, extension 1512.

This course is available on the FEMA Internet at <http://www.training.fema.gov/IS/>. When you have completed the course, you may take the online test, fill out the student information and submit the test for scoring. FEMA's Emergency Management Institute (EMI) Independent Study (IS) office will notify you via email of the results. If you successfully complete the test, a link will be included in the email for you to access and print your course certificate.

You may contact the IS office via email Independent.Study@fema.dhs.gov or contact the call center at (301) 447-1200 or toll free at 1-800-238-3358, extension 1200. IS office hours are 8:00am -6:00pm (ET).

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